



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer-
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held February 6, 2008, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Burke made the following statement:

“Employees of the County of Los Angeles have generously supported the annual March of Dimes fundraising campaign, forming department teams of walkers to raise funds that support important research to curtail premature births and infant mortality. This is a voluntary campaign conducted by County department heads and employees. The ‘March for Babies’ will be held on Saturday, April 26, 2008, 8:00 a.m., at Griffith Park, and the County Team photo will be taken at 7:30 a.m.

“County employees raised more than \$325,000 last year and a portion of those funds were returned to the County in the form of grants to local medical facilities and agencies, including LAC+USC Medical Center and Great Beginnings for Black Babies.

“‘March of Babies’ is the theme for the County’s 2008 March of Dimes campaign, which holds the ‘Top Public Sector’ award. County hospitals and clinics will conduct Med-Walks during May and June in support of the fundraising effort.

“Regular department fundraisers will continue this year along with partnerships with the Los Angeles Dodgers baseball team and Disney’s El Capitan Theatre. ‘County Night at Dodger Stadium’ is scheduled Friday, April 11, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. Chief Executive Officer William T Fujioka will throw out the first pitch.

“In addition, another popular March of Dimes fundraiser, ‘Blue Jeans for Babies Days,’ will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, May 28 and May 29, 2008, respectively.”

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Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Burke, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried (Supervisor Yaroslavsky being absent), the Board took the following actions:

1. Proclaimed April 26, 2008 as "March for Babies Day" throughout Los Angeles County in support of the annual walk-a-thon;
2. Proclaimed May 28 and 29, 2008 as "Blue Jeans for Babies Days" throughout Los Angeles County, to support the "March for Babies" campaign;
3. Waived the parking fees for 50 cars totaling \$850, excluding the cost of liability insurance, at the Music Center garage for departmental coordinators attending the annual training session on February 20, 2008, at the Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration;
4. Waived the parking fees for 35 cars totaling \$595, excluding the cost of liability insurance, at the Music Center garage for Department Heads and coordinators attending the annual Executive Kick-off Breakfast on March 4, 2008;
5. Waived Countywide vendor fees totaling \$10,000, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for fundraising activities in support of the 2008 March for Babies campaign;
6. Directed the Chief Executive Officer's, Office of Workplace Programs, and the Internal Services Department to provide the necessary support services; and
7. Encouraged all County employees and Department/District Heads to voluntarily participate in the County's 2008 "March for Babies" event to be held at Griffith Park on Saturday, April 26, 2008, to support the campaign to wipe out premature births and infant mortality.

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